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Cc: Harrison, Melissa[Harrison.Melissa@epa.gov]
From: Holsman, Marianne
Sent: Wed 4/20/2016 11:27:52 PM
Subject: Re: Press query on Deadline (for 4/21) from Bloomberg Bureau of National Affairs

Is the letter different from the Ag Committee letter of last week?

Thanks

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On Apr 20, 2016, at 2:58 PM, Distefano, Nichole <DiStefano.Nichole@epa.gov> wrote:

We received the letter a little bit ago. Will forward.

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Have you provided the current statement?

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Heads up below. We hear the "dear colleague" letter from the House has gone to Gina. No

doubt that's what Paul's query below relates to.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Shukovsky, Paul" <PShukovsky@bna.com>
Date: April 20, 2016 at 2:11:42 PM PDT
To: "Marianne Holsman (holsman.marianne@epa.gov)" <holsman.marianne@epa.gov>
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Hi Marianne,

Just finished listening in to a conference call from Rep. Dan Newhouse (R) and Ag Committee Chair K. Michael Conway (R) in which they are highly critical of EPA funding of whatsupstream.com

The Water Desk in D.C. asked for a story, which I'll file tomorrow.

I'd appreciate either a conversation with someone and/or a prepared statement tomorrow, no later than 11 a.m.

If you've not heard the conference call, I can send you a recording. It's about 20 minutes long.

Regards,

Paul

